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ALUMINUM ENGINE BLOCK CYLINDERS

Hon. Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D. C. 20231

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of 05/07/02, please amend this application as follows:

IN THE TITLE

Please change the title to read as follows: -- GAS-DYNAMIC COLD SPRAY LINING METHOD FOR ALUMINUM ENGINE BLOCK CYLINDERS --.

IN THE DRAWINGS

A proposed red-lined change to the drawings is enclosed. Figure 1 is corrected to clarify that item 2 refers to the bore. Applicants thank the Examiner for pointing out the error in the drawing and approval of the proposed change is respectfully requested.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

On page 2, please amend the paragraph starting at line 8 and ending at line 22 to read as follows:

-- To function properly, the inserted liners must have a full integral surface-to-surface bond that promotes thermal transfer as if the liner and cylinder bore were

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